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Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., April 23, 1889.

Hon. Daniel M. Fox,
Supt. U. S. Mint,
Philadelphia, Pa.

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Three (3) gold medals - 1st prize - Division Marksmanship, same as heretofore known as "Army Skirmish prize" except that diameter of medal to be reduced to 1¾ inches, & the word "Division" substituted for "Skirmishing"

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Nine (9) gold medals - 2nd " class prize - Division Marksmanship same as heretofore known as "Second class prize, Army Division Marksmanship", (the word "Army" is now omitted) except that diameter of medal to be reduced to 1 5/8 inches.

Eighteen (18) silver medals - 3rd " class prize - Division Marksmanship, same as heretofore known as "third class prize, Army Marksmanship", except that diameter of medal to be reduced to 1 5/8 inches, and the pin to be same as that for the second class division prize.

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medal to be 1½ inches, and pin for same as for old "Army Department Marksmanship."

Forty-eight (48) bronze medals - 3rd " class prize - Department Marksmanship, new design marked "B" herewith. Diameter of medal to be 1½ inches, and pin same as for 1st " and 2nd " Department Prizes.

Three (3) gold medals - 1st " prize - Revolver Match, new design marked "C" herewith. Diameter of medal to be 1⅝ inches. A pin having on it crossed revolvers.

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April 23, 1889.

James P. Kimball.
Director.

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SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE,

April 23, 1889

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Director ~~Superintendent.~~

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